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COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, INTERGOVERNMENTAL AND MILITARY AFFAIRS

Senator Will Espero, Chair Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 03, 2015

TIME: 1:15 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 229

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

<u>A G E N D A</u>

Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. Makes an appropriation to the state department of defense emergency management agency to assemble twenty-five civilian community teams and hire a coordinator to help establish, train, and assist the teams.	PSM, WAM
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO JUVENILE JUSTICE INFORMATION. Allows the dissemination of information from the juvenile justice information system to law enforcement agencies for purposes of the administration of law enforcement and law enforcement agency employment.	PSM, JDL
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO SERVICE OF LEGAL PROCESS. Requires independent civil process servers to meet additional requirements in order to be placed on the director's list of qualified civil process servers. Makes permanent Act 116, Session Laws of Hawaii 2013, relating to persons authorized to serve civil legal process.	PSM, JDL
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PROCESS SERVERS. Affords process servers additional protection as a protected class under the second degree assault statute when performing their duties. Shields process servers from prosecution under criminal trespass statutes when performing their duties.	PSM, JDL
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO CORRECTIONS. Requires that every person newly hired as an adult corrections officer shall have, at minimum, a high school diploma.	PSM, JDL
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and makes an appropriation to the department of public safety for the establishment and implementation of a re-entry facility for criminal offenders, which will include residential and day reporting programs.	PSM, WAM
Status & Testimony	RELATING TO CORRECTIONS. Extends the reentry commission expiration date to December 1, 2019.	PSM



SB 566

Status & Testimony

RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES.

Appropriates funds to the department of public safety for the creation of two pilot programs designed to promote inmate visitation at state correctional facilities.

SB 665

RELATING TO PRISONS.

PSM, WAM

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Status & Testimony Creates an independent prison oversight committee to monitor and report on the conditions of state correctional facilities, ensuring that the State's correctional facilities comply with federal and state laws and to achieve transparency and accountability in the operation of safe and humane correction facilities. Expands visitation access to correctional facilities to include prison oversight committee members. Authorizes temporary denials of visitation to visiting officials under certain conditions.

SB 462

RELATING TO FIREARMS POSSESSION.

PSM, JDL

Status & Testimony

Requires individuals denied a firearm permit or otherwise disqualified from possessing firearms and certain defendants to provide a sworn statement that the individual has disposed of any firearms and ammunition in the individual's possession. Requires the applicable chief of police to search firearm permit and registration records for those individuals and before serving a protective order or restraining order involving firearms or ammunition, and to seize any firearms or ammunition that were not disposed of. Requires police to seize firearms and ammunition in domestic abuse cases that are in plain view of the officer or discovered by consensual search.

SB 473

RELATING TO FIREARMS.

PSM, JDL

Status & Testimony Codifies federal law to authorize the department of the attorney general to develop and implement a state program to allow active and retired law enforcement officers to carry a concealed firearm in Hawaii pursuant to the federal Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2003. Makes conforming amendments to state firearm laws

state firearm laws.

SB 955

RELATING TO SHOOTING RANGE PROTECTION.

Provides protections against burdensome retroactive.

PSM, JDL

Status & Testimony Provides protections against burdensome retroactive regulation and lawsuits; prevents frivolous claims against shooting range operators and individuals engaging in target shooting.

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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